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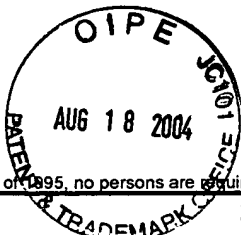
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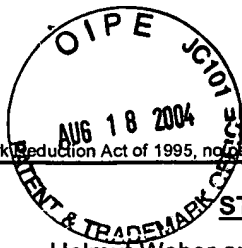
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Application No./Patent No.: 5,961,531 Filed/Issue Date: October 5, 1999

Entitled: Convertible Rongeur

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